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Town Officers, 1911

Moderator.

WILLIAM A. MERRILL.

Town Clerk.

PHILIP S. BROOKS.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

HERMAN H. LOCKE, FRED W. SMITH,
LESTER H. BOLSTER.

Town Agent.

HERMAN H. LOCKE.

Treasurer.

WARREN A. McCORRISON.

Collector.

DANIEL J. FLANDERS.

Road Commissioners.

JAMES B. ELDEN, ZENAS M. MARTIN.

Superintendent of Schools.

CHARLES L. CLEMENT.

School Board.

E. P. ELWELL, HOWARD F. HUTCHINSON,
IRVING BLAKE.

Truant Officer.

JOHN M. TARBOX.

Board of Health.

A. G. WILEY. M. D., H. A. OWEN, M. D.,
F. W. SMITH.

Constables.

D. J. FLANDERS, GEO. B. BERRY, A. R. PENNELL, IVORY BERRY.

Auditor.

CHAS. H. WEBSTER.

Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark.

W. F. CHADBOURNE, W. H. BOULTER, J. M. STEVENS, E. M. HILL, J. H. GRAHAM, JOHN M. TARBOX, F. E. WATERMAN, H. L. MILLIKEN, J. H. BRADBURY, GEO. A. PALMER, H. L. MARTIN, H. P. PENNELL, A. J. SMITH, LUCIUS HUTCHINSON, J. S. BRADEEN, R. D. SOULE.

Scalers of Logs.

E. A. PALMER, H. L. MARTIN, F. J. LEAVITT, JOHN M. TARBOX, AARON B. BURNHAM, J. H. GRAHAM, E. M. HILL, F. E. WATERMAN, H. M. SOULE, W. H. BOULTER, HENRY C. REDLON.

Weighers of Grain.

A. W. SOULE, R. D. SOULE, P. S. BROOKS, F. M. HOLT.

Weighers of Hay and Coal.

S. B. SHEPARD, A. W. SOULE, DANIEL PALMER, F. M. HOLT.

Field Drivers.

FRED O. DUNNELL, DANIEL CLAY.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

WALTER H. COFFIN.

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

March 4, 1912.

York ss.

To Daniel J. Flanders, a constable of the town of Buxton; in the County of York, and State of Maine, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Buxton, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said town on Monday the fourth (4) day of March, A. D. 1912, at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see what action the Town will take in relation to Road Commissioners for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Reports of the several Town Officers.

Art. 4. To choose Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of Common Schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To see how much money the Town will vote to appropriate for the support of Common schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of the Free High School for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To see how much money the Town will vote to appropriate for the support of the Free High School for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for fuel and janitor service for the High School for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for text books for the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for repairs of school buildings for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for school supplies. (Charts, Crayon, Paper, etc.) for the ensuing year.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to build a graded school building at Bar Mills, and a High and Common school building at Buxton Center; and locate the same. (By request of the Superintending School Committee.)

Art. 14. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to issue bonds to pay for the graded school building at Bar Mills and the High and Common school building at Buxton Center.

Art. 15. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the erection of the new school buildings.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to choose a building committee.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Bar Mills, Scribner and Lower Corner schools when the new building is ready for occupancy and authorize the Selectmen to sell the Bar Mills, Scribner's, Lower Corner and High school buildings when abandoned for school purposes. (By request of the Superintending School Committee).

Art. 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Superintending School Committee to continue the Shadigee school.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise for the support of the Boy's and Girl's Fair for 1912.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to request the Superintending School Committee to report at this or an adjourned meeting, what, if any, offers of financial or other help for the benefit of Buxton youth may have been made to them, also what, if any, help may, to their knowledge, have been available and to have been had for the asking. (Petitions of Frank M. Elwell and seventeen others, also H. A. Davis and twelve others.)

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote of March 2, 1908, whereby they voted to authorize the Superintending School Committee to unite with Standish or Hollis, or both for the purpose of employing a Superintendent of Schools in accordance with the provisions of sections 40 to 45, inclusive of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes. By petition of Chas. H. Dean and fifty-one (51) others.

Art. 22. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the contingent expenses for the ensuing year.

Art. 24. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the repairs of highways for the ensuing year.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote "Yes" or "No" upon the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69 of Public Laws of 1909,

relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the Town to State aid for highways for the year 1912.

Art. 26. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for building state road for the ensuing year in addition to the amount regularly raised and appropriated for the highways and bridges.

Art. 27. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for the support of bridges and culverts for the ensuing year.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to build a new bridge across the brook near E. M. Hill's house, raise money therefor, and to take any other action relative to said bridge.

Art. 29. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and grant for breaking down snow for the winter of 1911 and 1912.

Art. 30. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for exterminating the brown tail moths in the highways for the ensuing year, and take any other action relative thereto;said work being done by direction of the State Commissioner of Agriculture.

Art. 31. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for building and repairing sidewalks in Bar Mills village, said money to be expended by the Highway Commissioner. (By petition of John Guilford and ten others.)

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to have a re-valuation of the real estate of the Town, also to raise money to pay for the same and to take any other action relative thereto.

Art. 33. To see how much money the Town will vote to grant and raise for John H. Came Post, G. A. R., for Memorial Day.

Art. 34. To see what per cent. the Town will

vote to pay for the collection of taxes assessed for the year 1912.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise an additional sum, to that raised but not expended in 1911, to purchase the necessary apparatus for sealing weights and measures. As required by state law.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money sufficient, when added to the unexpended balance of 1911, to enable the selectmen to lay a new floor in the Town House and purchase seats.

Art. 37. To see what action the Town will take in regard to management of Town Farm; viz: care of buildings, providing a team, and necessary farming implements and take any other action relative thereto.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Selectmen's office on the three secular days next preceeding the day of election from ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon until five (5) o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Fail not to make due service of this warrant and return your doings thereon at the time and place of meeting.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1912.

H. H. LOCKE,

FRED W. SMITH,

L. H. BOLSTER.

Selectmen of Buxton.

Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

Valuation, 1911.

Resident Real Eestate	$440,634.00	
Resident Personal Estate	95,783.00	
		$536,417.00
Non-resident Real Estate	$562,813.00	
Non-resident Personal Estate	28,573.00	
		$591,386.00
Total valuation		$1,127,803.00
Rate of assessment $17.00 on $1,000.00.		
Number of polls at $2.00 each		442
Number of polls exempt		80
Whole number of polls in town		522

Money Raised and Assessed.

State tax	$6,919.67	
County tax	1,269.47	
		$8,189.14
Support Common Schools	$1000.00	
Support High School	750.00	
Fuel and janitor, High School	50.00	
Text books and supplies	300.00	
Repairs on school houses	1200.00	
Labratory, High School	100.00	
Support of poor	1350.00	
Construction of silo at Town farm	100.00	

Repair of highways	2000.00	
State road	200.00	
Breaking down snow	300.00	
Repairs of bridges and culverts	500.00	
Destroying brown tail moths	1000.00	
Sidewalks at West Buxton	150.00	
Sidewalks at Bar Mills	100.00	
John Came Post, G. A. R.	25.00	
Apparatus for sealer of weights and measures	125.00	
Repair of Town House	500.00	
Contingent account	1500.00	
Overlay in assessment	617.51	
Supplementary tax	10.00	
Moth tax from owners of orchards cleared	35.20	
		$11,912.71
Whole amount committed to Daniel J. Flanders to collect, 1911		$20,101.85

Appropriations.

Whole amount assessed	$20,101.85
School fund and mill tax	1705.42
Common School fund	1758.28
Railroad, telephone and telegraph tax	28.99
Recd. from State for High school, 1910	500.00
Recd. from State for High school, 1911	500.00
Recd. from State on acct. of State road	184.00
Recd. from State, dog licenses refunded, 1910	97.43
Cash recd. from Horace Hill estate	15.00
Recd. from State on acct. State pensions	174.00
Recd. from Town of Windham, pauper bills, 1910	6.00
Recd. from town of Dayton, tuition	32.00
Auctioneer's license	1.00

Recd. from Town Clerk, dog license, 1911 ..	149.00
Recd. for rent of Town Hall	.75
Recd. for sale of old stove	1.00
Recd. on Charlotte Lord estate	12.00
Recd. from Mrs. H. S. Usher, tuition	6.25
Recd. Dearborne's Hill School Improvement League refunded	3.50
Recd. Buxton High School on dictionary refunded	5.00
Recd. town of Windham, pauper bills, 1911,	70.99
Recd. State on account James Finnigan	18.44
Recd. on account of old tax deeds	111.50
Recd. from sale of Town House lumber	4.66
Recd. from Town of Paris	4.50
Recd. from Geo. B. Berry, Agent preceeds Town Farm	60.00
Recd. from State burial of soldier	35.00
Recd. from E. M. Hill, clapboards from schools	3.75
Recd. for lumber sold from Town Farm	100.00
Recd. from State, rebate on State tax, 1908 and 1909	848.48
Recd. from State for State pensions, 1911...	432.00
Recd. H. H. Locke, moth account collected..	9.25
Recd. for ads in Town Report	3.00

Inventory of Personal Property Returned to Board of State Assessors.

450	horses	$27,525.00
3	colts, three to four years old	275.00
5	colts, two to three years old	320.00
8	colts, under two years old..	390.00
601	cows	12,020.00
30	oxen	1,575.00
89	oxen, three years old.....	1,335.00
92	oxen, two years old	1,104.00
123	oxen, one year old	984.00

87 sheep	174.00	
76 swine	768.00	
		$46,470.00

Other Kinds of Property.

51 shares of bank stock	$ 5,100.00	
Stock in trade	18,276.00	
Logs and lumber	29,050.00	
91 carriages	2,695.00	
13 automobiles	5,300.00	
59 musical instruments	4,800.00	
Finished products in mill	750.00	
Material in stock	3,550.00	
Machinery not taxed as real estate	7,065.00	
Other property	1,300.00	
		$77,886.00
Total amount of personal property		$124,356.00

Orders Drawn for Support of Common Schools.

No. of order.		Amount.
2	Mrs. Ethel M. Lane, teaching and janitor work, Groveville, '10	$58.00
3	Mildred A. Fogg, teaching and janitor work, Duck Pond, '10	98.00
4	Clara F. Libby, teaching and janitor work, N. C. Watson, '10	99.00
5	Ora B. Jose, teaching Scribner, '10	104.50
6	Delia Files, teaching and janitor work, Bog Mill, '10	101.00
7	Anna W. McCafferty, teaching Union Falls, '10	21.00
8	Clara Redlon, teaching and janitor work, West Buxton, '10	83.00

9	Edith M. Huges, teaching Lower Corner, '10	17.00
10	Chester Brooks, janitor Lower Corner	2.00
11	Ora B. Jose, janitor Scribner, '10	2.00
12	Fred Swett, janitor Bar Mills, '10	2.00
15	H. S. Blake, conveying scholars, Groveville, '10	31.80
27	Ralph Adams, janitor Buxton Center	2.00
66	Alfred E. Emery, janitor N. C. Watson	2.00
67	Alfred E. Emery, janitor N. C. Watson	2.00
68	S. A. Waterman, wood, Duck Pond	5.00
93	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner	36.00
94	Alveda V. Stanton, teaching Salmon Falls	30.00
95	D. M. Hutchinson, teaching Buxton Center	36.00
96	Mrs. Ethel Lane, teaching, Wm. C. Webster	32.00
138	Mrs. Ethel Lane, teaching, Wm. C. Webster	32.00
139	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's	36.00
140	Mildred A. Fogg, teaching Duck Pond	32.00
141	Susie Gardner, teaching Lower Corner	93.50
142	Alice Davis, teaching and janitor, Dearborn's Hill	106.50
143	Clara Redlon, teaching and janitor, West Buxton	101.00
144	Mildred A. Fogg, teaching and janitor, Duck Pond	61.00
145	Alveda V. Stanton, teaching Salmon Falls	52.50
146	Henry Emmons, fuel	4.50
170	Duncan Innes, conveying scholars to Salmon Falls	63.25
171	Etta M. Stuart, teaching Bar Mills	100.00
172	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's	27.00

173	H. S. Blake, conveying scholars to Groveville	31.80
174	Merton W. Towle, janitor Scribner's	2.00
175	Clara F. Libby, teaching N. C. Watson	99.00
176	Mrs. Ethel M. Lane, teaching and janitor, W. C. Webster	26.00
177	Geneva Eaton, teaching and janitor, Shadigee	84.50
178	D. M. Hutchinson, teaching Buxton Center	63.00
180	Mabel W. Boothby, teaching and janitor, Bog Mill	83.00
181	Alfred E. Emery, janitor, N. C. Watson	2.00
182	Percy M. Hill, janitor Lower Corner	2.00
183	Fred Swett, janitor Bar Mills	2.00
231	Ralph Adams, janitor Buxton Center	2.00
257	W. A. Sawyer, fuel, Dearborn's Hill	15.75
262	M. Alice Davis, teaching West Buxton	38.00
263	D. M. Hutchinson, teaching Buxton Center	36.00
265	M. Gilberta Marr, teaching Dearborn's Hill	40.00
282	Wm. F. Emery, fuel, Buxton Center	19.50
309	D. M. Hutchinson, teaching Buxton Center	36.00
333	A. J. Smith, fuel, Dearborn's Hill	15.00
345	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's	40.00
347	Gladys M. Wyer, teaching Salmon Falls	32.00
359	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's	40.00
403	W. P. Rounds, fuel, Groveville	12.50
404	M. Gilberta Marr, teaching and janitor, Dearborn's Hill	42.00
405	Harold L. Berry, janitor, Bar Mills	2.00
407	Agnes L. Hill, teaching Groveville	48.00
434	L. H. Bolster, fuel, Groveville and Duck Pond	4.50

442	Soule Bros., fuel, Bog Mill	10.87
443	C. W. Harmon, conveying scholars to Groveville	26.96
446	H. H. Hill, fuel	34.25
468	Geneva Eaton, teaching and janitor, Shadigee	99.50
470	Duncan Innes, conveying scholars to Salmon Falls	74.75
471	M. Alice Davis, teaching and janitor, West Buxton	87.50
475	H. S. Blake, conveying scholars to Groveville	37.80
476	Mildred A. Fogg, teaching and janitor,	119.00
480	Betsy H. Perkins, teaching and janitor	119.00
481	Joel W. Bradeen, janitor, Scribner's	2.00
482	Gladys M. Wyer, teaching and janitor, Salmon Falls	42.00
484	M. Gilberta Marr, teaching, Dearborn's Hills	50.00
488	Etta M. Stuart, teaching Bar Mills	130.00
489	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's.	50.00
490	Helen B. O'Neil, teaching Lower Corner	99.00
510	Agnes L. Hill, teaching and janitor, Groveville	58.00
512	Mrs. D. M. Hutchinson, teaching and janitor, Buxton Center	47.00
513	Edward Gibbs, transporting teacher to Teachers' Meeting	3.00
535	James Sands, fuel, Shadigee	12.00
536	Donald Gilson, janitor Lower Corner,	2.00
556	Mrs. D. M. Hutchinson, teaching Buxton Center	36.00
569	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's,	40.00
570	M. Alice Davis, teaching West Buxton	47.50
571	Etta M. Stuart, teaching Bar Mills	40.00

574	Gladys M. Wyer, teaching, Salmon Falls	36.00
577	M. Gilberta Marr, teaching Dearborn's Hill	40.00
590	H. F. Hutchinson, fuel	9.00
594	Arthur Emery, janitor, Dearborn's Hill, 1909	2.00
596	Mildred A. Fogg, teaching, Duck Pond	45.00
603	D. M. Hutchinson, teaching, Buxton Center	54.00
616	C. B. Googins, conveyance of teachers	6.00
620	Mildred A. Fogg, teaching and janitor, Duck Pond	47.00
621	Betsy H. Perkins, teaching and janitor, N. C. Watson	92.00
622	Marcia A. Libby, teaching Scribner's,	60.00
623	Merton Towle, janitor Scribner's	2.00
624	Gladys M. Wyers, teaching and janitor, Salmon Falls	56.00
626	Homer L. Martin, fuel, N. C. Watson and Bog Mills	24.00
630	Soule Bros., coal, Bog Mills	13.65
647	Agnes L. Hill, teaching and janitor, Groveville	92.00
648	Geneva Eaton, teaching and janitor, Shadigee	77.00
652	Mrs. D. M. Hutchinson, janitor, Buxton Center	2.00
656	F. E. Waterman, fuel, Dearborn's Hill,	4.00
663	Geo. B. Berry, fuel for several schools	49.50
665	M. Alice Davis, teaching and janitor, West Buxton	40.00
666	M. Gilberta Marr, teaching and janitor, Dearborn's Hill	62.00

669	H. S. Blake, conveying scholars Groveville, winter, 1911-12	29.40
677	C. W. Harmon, conveying scholars, Groveville, winter 1911-12	10.15
678	Duncan Innes, conveying scholars, Salmon Falls, winter 1911-12	60.00
679	H. L. Milliken, conveying scholars to Duck Pond, '09	25.50
680	H. L. Milliken, conveying scholars to Duck Pond, '10	78.50
681	Mabel W. Boothby, teaching and janitor, Bog Mills	122.50
682	Helen B. O'Neil, teaching Lower Corner	92.00
683	Etta M. Stuart, teaching Bar Mills	60.00

	Amount orders drawn	$4851.43
Balance unexpended Feb. 17, 1911	$2150.45	
Town appropriation	1000.00	
School fund and mill tax	1705.42	
Common School fund	1758.28	
Received Mrs. H. S. tuition West Buxton School	6.25	
	$6620.40	
Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1912		$1768.97
		$6620.40

Tuition due from Hollis, $51.00, 1911.
Outstanding School bills estimated, $100.00.

Orders Drawn for Support of High School.

69	Eliza S. Libby, teaching	$ 44.00
101	E. L. Bartlett, teaching	80.00
114	E. L. Bartlett, teaching	80.00
147	E. L. Bartlett, teaching	80.00
148	Eliza S. Libby, teaching	44.00

184	Eliza S. Libby, teaching	66.00
258	S. C. Lanpher, teaching	80.00
311	Eliza S. Libby, teaching	66.00
341	Eliza S. Libby, teaching	66.00
406	S. C. Lanpher, teaching	100.00
492	S. C. Lanpher, teaching	80.00
573	S. C. Lanpher, teaching	80.00
602	Eliza S. Libby, teaching	99.00
631	S. C. Lanpher, teaching winter term in full	160.00
651	Eliza S. Libby, teaching winter term in full	44.00

Amount of orders drawn $1169.00

Balance unexpended Feb. 17, 1911	$175.93	
Town appropriation	750.00	
Recd. from State	500.00	
Recd. tuition from Dayton, 1910	32.00	
	$1457.93	
Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1912		$288.93
		$1457.93

Tuition due from Dayton, 1911 $32.00

Orders Drawn for Fuel and Janitor Service, High School.

102	E. L. Bartlett, janitor service	$ 5.00
115	E. L. Bartlett, janitor service	5.00
149	E. L. Bartlett, janitor service	4.00
281	Wm. F. Emery, fuel	19.50
557	Students High School janitor services, Fall term	14.50
632	Students High School, janitor services, Winter term	18.00

Amount of orders drawn $66.00

Balance unexpended Feb. 17, 1911	$62.11	
Town appropriation	50.00	
	$112.11	
Balance unexpended Feb. 14, 1912		$46.11
		$112.11

Orders Drawn Labratory Account, High School.

684	L. E. Knott & Co., apparatus		$41.44
Town appropriation		$100.00	
Overdrawn, Feb. 17, 1911			12.53
Amount unexpended, Feb. 17, 1912			46.03
			$100.00

Orders Drawn for Text Books and Supplies.

150	Edward E. Babb & Co.	$33.33
251	Silver, Burdett & Co.	31.10
264	Ginn & Co.	68.79
357	Loring, Short & Harmon	4.50
358	Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover	3.75
526	The American Book Co.	4.00
527	J. L. Hammett Co.	15.76
566	D. C. Heath	26.11
567	Silver, Burdett Co.	22.92
625	C. L. Clement, freight on text books	3.29
667	Amesbury Pub. Co., school reports	6.90
668	Ginn & Co., text books	83.17
685	J. L. Hammett & Co., school supplies	4.50
	Amount of orders drawn	$308.12
Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1911	$34.92	

Town appropriation	300.00	
Refunded from B. H. School pupils	5.00	
	$339.92	
Balance unexpended Feb. 17, 1912..		31.80
		$339.92

Orders Drawn for Repairs of School Property.

No. of order		Amount
14	Fred F. Boothby, cleaning toilet, N. C. Watson, '10	1.50
103	A. J. Smith, repairs, Dearborns Hill ..	4.65
104	Charles Boothby, repairs, N. C. Watson	18.75
105	E. P. Elwell, repairs, N. C. Watson....	21.25
151	The Caxton Co., seats	9.40
152	Dearborns Hill School League, cleaning school house	3.00
179	Shadigee School League, cleaning school house	2.00
201	James A. Leavitt & Son, one door	2.70
202	John S. Watson, paint, etc.	9.26
232	F. L. Rounds, sanitary work	4.00
252	Irving Blake, labor, Bog Mill school yard	19.50
253	Irving Blake, labor and freight paid..	52.69
255	Wm. Lucas, brick, Bog Mill school house	19.00
259	Smith System Heating Co., heater, Bog Mills	82.32
260	Carroll Rounds, labor, Bog Mills	30.00
261	E. P. Elwell, labor, Bog Mills	50.00
283	Leroy Hartford, labor, Bog Mills	33.75

284	A. H. Bradeen, labor, Buxton Center..	10.00
312	Soule Grain Co., material, Bog Mills ..	102.43
340	Thurston Rounds, labor and material, Bog Mills	15.90
342	Chas. H. Willis, labor and material, N. C. Watson	2.00
343	Carroll Rounds, labor, Bog Mills	40.00
344	Ambrose Rose, labor, Bog Mills	9.00
346	E. P. Elwell, labor, Bog Mills	50.00
348	Leroy Hartford, labor, Bog Mills	40.50
349	James Waterman, labor, Bog Mills ...	6.75
350	Berlin Mills Co., laths, Bog Mills	3.65
351	Berlin Mills Co., windows, Bog Mills..	10.13
352	Fred A. Giddings, labor and material, Bog Mills	46.68
354	Mrs. C. A. Smith, board of mason, Bog Mills	3.00
355	Daniel Haskell, labor, Bog Mills	6.00
360	Wm. Hanson, labor, Bog Mills	12.50
409	J. G. Norton, labor, Bog Mills	22.00
410	E. P. Elwell, lumber, Bog Mills	52.41
412	Carroll Rounds, labor, Bog Mills	91.50
414	B. Sawyer, cleaning, N. C. Watson ...	4.00
435	A. A. Bolster, supplies, W. C. Webster,	4.55
448	Jason Knight, brick, Bog Mills	2.50
466	J. F. Sands, repairing school desk	.50
472	The Caxton Co., teacher's desk	7.50
474	Edwards & Walker, supplies, Bog Mill	24.32
479	Berlin Mills Co., lumber, Bog Mill	259.56
483	Irving Blake, freight paid and labor, Bog Mill	12.76
485	Leroy Hartford, labor, Bog Mills	45.00
486	Readsboro Chair Co.	33.20
487	Herbert L. Palmer, blackboards	17.83
491	S. B. Shepard, material, N. C. Watson,	60.55
509	E. P. Elwell, labor, Bog Mills	90.00

511	Pupils Buxton Center School, cleaning school house	3.00
537	John S. Watson, material, Bog Mills	13.20
538	Wm. Hanson, labor, Bog Mills	1.25
546	A. W. Rowe, moving Bog Mill school house	39.50
547	S. B. Dyer, cleaning and repairs, Bar Mills	5.00
548	Leroy Hartford, labor, Bog Mills	39.94
550	Frank L. Palmer, setting seats	1.25
564	Abbie S. Palmer, cleaning, Lower Corner	5.00
576	Chester Haley, hauling supplies from Gorham	4.00
580	Henry C. Redlon, labor, Bog Mills	25.01
581	Carroll Rounds, labor, Bog Mills	5.00
595	H. F. Hutchinson, labor on school houses	18.01
617	Geo. M. Sawyer, repairs for Bar Mills,	.96
634	A. J. Sawyer, repairs, West Buxton	.72
655	M. R. Holmes, repairs, West Buxton	1.06
658	S. Meserve & Son, repairs for several schools	3.34
660	L. C. Towle, labor on flag pole, Lower Corner	1.00
671	Wilson Lumber Co., sheathing for Bog Mills	16.00
672	R. A. Bradbury, school repairs and supplies	4.30
686	F. W. Harmon, labor on school house and putting up flag pole	9.00
	Amount of orders drawn	$1647.03
	Exceeded appropriation, Feb. 17, 1911	277.39
	Town appropriation $1200.00	
	Recd. for clapboards sold E. M. Hill 3.75	

Recd. from Dearborn Hill School League, on teacher's desk ..	3.50	
Exceeded appropriation, Feb. 17, 1912	717.17	
	$1924.42	
		$1924.42

Order Drawn for Purchase of Bog Mill School Yard.

116	C. H. Smith		$75.00
Town appropriation, 1910		$50.00	
Appropriated from overlay to balance account		$25.00	

Orders Drawn for Bar Mills Sidewalks, by Order Road Commissioner Elden.

166	E. H. Dennett	$26.53
167	Geo. H. Palmer	9.75
168	Thomas G. Atkinson	10.50
211	Lester Ricker	14.00
227	A. R. Pennell	10.87
228	Lester A. Burnham	9.70
249	Walter Harriman	10.00
277	H. V. Totman	4.50
297	W. H. Dennett	1.50
518	Geo. M. Sawyer	2.65
		$100.00
Town appropriation	$100.00	
	$100.00	

Order Drawn for West Buxton Sidewalk, by Road Commissioner Martin.

520	Z. M. Martin	$150.00

	Town appropriation	$150.00

Order Drawn for John H. Came Post, G. A. R.

106	M. C. Owen, Quartermaster	$25.00
	Town appropriation	$25.00

Orders Drawn for Support of Bridge and Culverts, by Road Commissioner Elden.

71	Portland Stone Ware Co.	$25.50
85	W. W. Dodge	5.00
86	Cyrus Palmer	1.50
119	Berlin Mills Co., stringers, Bar Mills bridge	173.20
120	B. & M. R. R., freight on bridge plank,	13.00
131	E. H. Dennett	.75
132	Edwin T. Plummer	6.00
133	E. H. Dennett	9.00
203	Berlin Mills Co., lumber, Bar Mills bridge	24.57
205	Portland Stone Ware Co.	11.52
222	Fiske-Carter Construction Co.	5.25
223	Geo. H. Palmer	7.50
246	E. H. Dennett	8.25
269	B. & M. R. R., freight on bridge lumber	11.54
295	James Clough	9.75
296	W. S. Dennett	5.25
328	Frank W. Harmon	4.50
374	F. L. Tarbox	14.75
376	Berlin Mills Co., lumber for Bar Mills bridge	258.45
400	A. R. Pennell	4.50
543	Edwin Plummer	1.50
561	R. D. Soule	5.38
599	Frank B. Clark, lumber for Bar Mills bridge	4.32

619	G. M. Sawyer	6.62
644	L. L. Bradbury, lumber	2.27
	Amount of Road Commissioner Elden's orders, 1911, carried forward	$619.87

Orders Drawn for Support of Bridges and Culverts, by Order of Road Commissioner Martin.

243	D. Brackett	$ 12.75
305	A. J. Smith	9.00
336	H. D. Emery	2.25
387	G. E. Smith	6.00
395	F. E. Waterman, plank, West Buxton bridge, and culverts	233.47
420	F. L. Rounds	1.80
422	J. F. Waterman	4.00
425	J. K. Bradbury	1.50
429	Geo. C. Martin	12.00
438	F. L. Wood	1.50
440	O. G. Parker	2.12
454	J. E. Morton	3.00
456	J. H. Smith	2.25
460	Simon Nason	5.50
465	J. F. Sands	7.40
499	J. H. Emery	7.00
533	W. C. Hill	18.75
534	Frank Pinkham	4.00
539	W. F. Emery	2.25
555	Simon Nason	.75
612	S. A. Waterman	2.25
639	A. J. Sawyer	4.89
711	I. T. Eaton	5.69
712	Geo. E. Smith	4.30
713	Z. M. Martin	9.90
	Amount of Road Commissioner Martin's orders, 1911	$364.32

Amount of Road Commissioner Martin's orders brought forward		619.87
Total amount of orders drawn for bridges and culverts		$984.19
Amount unexpended, Feb. 17, 1911	$32.43	
Town appropriation	500.00	
Amount exceeded appropriation, Feb. 17, 1912	451.76	
	$984.19	

Orders Drawn for Highways, by Order of Road Commissioner James B. Elden, 1911.

20	G. M. Sawyer (1910 acct.)	$15.76
84	E. H. Dennett	5.00
87	C. S. D. Nichols	27.35
88	Edwin T. Plummer	16.25
89	John Fogg	32.00
90	Edwin T. Plummer	10.00
91	E. H. Dennett	74.00
92	Cyrus Palmer	9.00
123	W. W. Dodge	59.00
124	Chas. T. Patrick	36.50
125	James B. Elden	18.00
126	Geo. H. Palmer	13.50
127	Fred W. Parker	8.25
128	Joseph Wolfer	4.50
129	James B. Elden	37.12
130	E. H. Dennett	6.12
164	F. W. Harmon	10.00
210	E. H. Dennett	5.00
224	Warren Cole	2.50
225	C. T. Patrick	9.00
226	James B. Elden (services)	36.41
245	E. H. Dennett	5.12

247	Duncan Innes	10.50
248	James B. Elden (services)	20.00
278	F. J. Leavitt	4.50
291	James Gould	2.00
292	Sumner Waterman	4.00
293	Lester A. Burnham	1.65
294	Roy Carll	9.00
298	E. B. Rankins & Son	17.50
315	E. B. Rankins	9.00
316	Frank Dougie	2.25
317	James Clough	6.80
318	James B. Elden (services)	20.00
319	Walter Harriman	6.00
320	Edwin Hanson	3.15
321	T. H. Owen	6.00
323	Vivian Harriman	6.00
325	A. A. Haines	10.50
326	Willis Graffam	4.50
327	Frank W. Harmon	26.00
329	J. M. Berry	3.37
330	H. V. Totman	3.00
373	Frank L. Tarbox	20.00
375	Frank L. Tarbox	63.30
398	John Rankins	5.25
399	A. R. Pennell	1.50
401	Emora Humes	5.25
402	James Clough	2.25
503	F. E. Berry	8.00
504	Elmer Pease	3.00
506	Clarence Deering	8.00
507	I. T. Brackett	5.25
516	Geo. A. Deering	12.00
542	D. Patrick	2.00
544	Edwin Plummer	3.25
545	Freedom Berry	8.00
558	L. C. Towle	1.35
562	J. B. Elden	10.00
638	Ralph E. Sawyer	1.50

645	James B. Elden, services in full to Feb. 17, 1912	11.00
	Amount of Road Commissioner Elden's orders, 1911, carried forward	$787.00

Highway Bills Paid by Order of Road Commissioner Martin.

26	J. S. Knight (1910)	$ 5.50
134	William Auld	3.00
135	Frank Pinkham	5.60
156	Z. M. Martin	74.00
157	S. W. Sawyer	4.50
158	D. Brackett	24.75
159	W. C. Hill	32.00
160	Ray Tarbox	26.35
161	H. N. Randall	4.50
162	Z. M. Martin	97.50
212	D. Brackett	28.00
214	Harry Blake	3.00
216	A. J. Smith	7.50
229	G. W. Boothby	42.70
244	D. Brackett	27.00
273	M. S. Pease	3.00
274	G. E. Bangs	7.50
275	H. D. Emery	6.00
299	H. S. Blake	19.75
300	S. A. Waterman	21.00
301	F. L. Rounds	11.25
302	S. B. Shepard	4.00
303	Alonzo Junkins	1.50
304	A. H. Bradeen	6.75
306	J. M. Stevens	4.50
332	John M. Tarbox	9.75
334	Frank Pinkham	10.75
335	H. F. Hutchinson	12.00
337	C. H. Webster	4.15
338	W. G. York	21.75

364	S. Hartford	5.25
365	Bert Elwell	3.00
366	James Sands	3.00
367	Z. M. Smith	15.75
369	Guy Bangs	3.00
371	C. D. Emery	13.50
372	A. P. Rose	3.30
389	L. W. Rowe	2.25
391	Atwood Berry	6.00
392	Carroll Rounds	11.11
393	D. J. Flanders	7.00
397	C. T. Palmer	5.12
419	F. L. Rounds	3.00
421	Edward Gibbs	6.00
423	J. F. Waterman	8.25
424	Wm. Hammond	6.00
426	J. H. Bradbury	1.50
427	Geo. C. Martin	16.00
428	H. C. Redlon	12.00
431	F. A. Emery	6.00
432	Oliver Parker	5.32
433	Harry Smith	8.25
439	F. L. Wood	4.00
441	J. M. McClellan	9.15
449	Herbert Burbank	1.50
450	Wm. Eaton	32.50
452	Z. M. Martin	62.50
453	D. Brackett	28.00
455	J. E. Morton	3.75
457	J. H. Smith	8.25
458	Albert Wiggin	1.50
459	S. W. Sawyer	1.50
461	Simon Nason	3.00
462	Charles Smith	9.75
463	W. S. Hanson	8.25
464	J. F. Sands	4.30
501	J. S. Knight	18.75
502	E. H. Adams	4.87

514	Z. M. Martin, services	95.00
521	Charles Burbank	7.50
528	O. D. Rand	4.37
529	J. E. Eaton	3.50
530	W. C. Hill	21.00
531	Frank Pinkham	3.00
532	Z. M. Martin	12.90
540	W. F. Emery	12.00
541	W. L. Roberts	10.00
559	M. S. Tyler	1.50
563	George Graffam	5.25
582	James Sands	3.30
583	Will Blake	3.00
598	J. M. Stevens	3.75
611	S. A. Waterman	12.00
704	C. H. McKenney	2.25
705	A. C. Brown	1.50
708	F. M. Elwell	3.00
709	L. Hutcherson	1.50
710	J. E. Leavitt	5.70
714	N. N. Eaton	2.75
715	Z. M. Martin, services in full to Feb. 17, 1912	10.00
	Amount of Road Commissioner Martin's orders, 1911, carried forward	$1106.49

Orders Drawn for Public Watering Places, by Order of the Selectmen.

254	Chas. C. Palmer	$5.00
382	Noah Cressey	5.00
411	Johnathan Hutchinson	5.00
473	H. M. Davis	5.00
478	Franklin Pinkham	5.00
	Amount of orders drawn for public watering places, carried forward	$25.00

Amount of Road Commissioner Elden's orders brought forward		787.00
Amount of Road Commissioner Martin's orders brought forward		1106.49
Amount of orders drawn for highways		$1918.49
Amount exceeded Feb. 17, 1911		371.33
Town appropriation	$2000.00	
Amount exceeded appropriation Feb. 17, 1912	289.82	
	$2289.82	
		$2289.82

Outstanding road bills as per Commissioner's report 2 amounting to $7.00.

Snow Bill Paid by Order of Road Commissioner F. E. Berry, 1909.

308	F. O. Dunnell	$.60

Amount carried forward.

Snow Bills Paid by Order of Road Commissioner Elden, Winter 1910-11.

16	W. H. Savage	$ 3.00
17	Lester Ricker	16.00
18	W. W. Dodge	16.00
19	E. H. Dennett	12.00
65	S. A. Waterman	16.00
81	C. T. Patrick	16.00
82	James B. Elden	16.00
83	F. M. Holt	1.50
121	F. L. Tarbox	22.00
122	W. H. Savage	13.00
221	E. B. Rankins	16.00
276	E. C. Buzzell	.83
314	E. B. Hanson	6.00
322	T. H. Owen	9.00

324	W. G. Tufts	1.50
331	Lewis Shorden	3.00
436	Ivory Berry	5.00
437	Lewis M. Dunn	2.58
505	Clarence Deering	11.00
508	W. S. Haskell	2.50
517	Geo. A. Deering	7.00
637	Ralph E. Sawyer	1.50

Amount of Road Commissioner Elden's orders, 1911, carried forward $197.41

Snow Bills Paid by Order of Road Commissioner Martin.

22	Edgar Dunnell	3.35
23	L. H. Bolster	20.00
61	A. Campbell	3.00
62	F. L. Wood	20.75
63	N. N. Eaton	14.85
64	Wm. E. Elwell	1.95
136	Frank Pinkham	2.30
163	W. C. Hill	3.75
169	Z. M. Martin	39.00
213	Daniel Brackett	4.50
215	A. J. Smith	3.75
230	G. W. Boothby	27.50
271	H. D. Emery	3.00
272	F. W. Garber	.58
307	S. A. Waterman	5.60
363	S. Hartford	4.12
368	Z. M. Smith	2.25
370	C. D. Emery	1.65
388	Norton Bros.	16.00
390	Atwood Berry	4.00
394	F. R. Stevens	2.50
396	W. P. Rounds	2.85
418	Wm. Hammond	.60
430	F. A. Emery	18.55

451	Wm. Eaton	27.50
498	E. M. Hill	20.00
500	J. H. Emery	24.00
560	George Graffam	3.75

Amount of Road Commissioner Martin's orders, 1911	$281.65
Amount of Road Commissioner Elden's orders brought forward	197.41
Amount of Road Commissioner Berry's order, 1909, brought forward	.60

Amount of orders drawn for breaking down snow		$479.66
Amount exceeded appropriation Feb. 17, 1911		159.26
Town appropriation	$300.00	
Amount exceeded appropriation Feb. 17, 1912	338.92	
	$638.92	
		$638.92

Order Drawn for Building State Road.

289	F. W. Smith		$440.00
Town appropriation		$200.00	
Recd. from State		184.00	
Amount overdrawn and appropriated from overlay to balance account		56.00	
		$440.00	

Orders Drawn for Destroying Brown Tail Moths.

24	Wm. Auld	$ 8.25
25	E. H. Dennett	4.80
29	Leroy Hartford	56.10

30	Chester Waterman	38.25
31	Raymond E. Flanders	20.00
32	W. C. Townsend	1.63
33	Gordon Hargraves	8.95
34	F. W. Smith	20.00
35	Henry Wilcox	5.32
36	E. A. Tarbox, board of climbers	19.00
37	Eugene Redlon	14.00
38	W. S. McCorrison	14.00
39	Ira V. Clay	4.50
40	Walter Huff	34.17
41	Lyman Huff	36.67
42	Mark L. Towle	19.00
43	W. A. Hobson	59.00
44	Albert Pinkham	33.75
45	D. A. Harmon	6.25
46	Freeman Rose	16.00
47	Albert Pinkham	14.00
48	W. F. Burns	8.00
49	Edward P. Hobson	12.00
50	Edward P. Hobson	16.25
51	F. W. Harmon	4.95
52	W. J. Graffam	71.13
53	A. R. Pennell	5.25
54	Leon Boucher	49.00
55	Amos L. Towle	42.00
56	E. H. Dennett	1.35
57	Ray Dunnell	34.00
58	Thomas G. Atkinson	36.00
59	Chas. B. Tibbetts	49.50
60	B. B. Blethen	41.13
77	Chester Brooks	1.50
78	Perley McLellan	19.50
79	S. Meserve & Son	52.46
80	G. A. Palmer	3.00
97	Geo. Bennett	9.00
98	Harry C. Blake	36.00
99	Mark L. Towle	2.50

100	Fred W. Parker	3.00
112	Lincoln Brackett	.60
118	Kendall & Whitney, supplies	4.75
137	Elmer Elwell	3.00
188	M. L. Cousins, strap for climbers	1.00
353	Edward Adams	13.50
467	J. F. Sands, repairing poles	1.80
493	S. B. Shepard	1.08
494	Malcolm Ingalls, moth poles	2.50
618	G. M. Sawyer, repairs for moth poles,	1.86
635	A. J. Sawyer, moth poles	3.00

Amount of orders drawn on moth account		$964.25
Town appropriation	$1000.00	
Amount collected from owners of orchards cleaned	44.45	
	$1044.45	
Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1912		$80.20
		$1044.45

Inventory of tools bought and on hand: 5 extension ladders, 2 pair climbers, 1 strap and several poles.
Value $45.00

Orders Drawn for Support of the Town Farm.

73	Geo. B. Berry, Agent	$48.00
154	Geo. B. Berry, Agent	50.00
192	Geo. B. Berry, Agent	25.00
196	Geo. B. Berry, Agent	25.00
270	Geo. B. Berry, Agent	25.00
383	Geo. B. Berry, Agent	50.00
664	Geo. B. Berry, Agent to Feb. 20, 1912	75.00

Amount of orders drawn for support of Town Farm	$298.00

Amount paid to W. A. McCorrison on agent's salary	$60.00	
Recd. from estate Edward Childs, one cow	50.00	
Net expense Town Farm carried forward	188.00	
		$298.00

Repairs on Town Farm Building.

694	Geo. E. Sawyer, labor on buildings ...	$16.83
695	P. S. Brooks, lumber for repairs	9.90
696	Geo. A. Pinkham, labor and material..	3.00
707	H. H. Locke, pine boards	2.00
720	Geo. B. Berry, cash paid for labor for cutting lumber	4.32
	Amt. paid for repairs on Town buildings ...	$36.05
	Amount received for lumber sold	$36.05

Orders Drawn for the Support of the Poor not on the Town Farm.

Orders drawn for support of J. Frank Merrill, Windham.

190	J. E. Leavitt, supplies	$25.13
568	E. M. Varney, medical attendance	10.00
588	J. E. Leavitt, supplies in full to Feb. 5, 1912	35.86
	Amount of orders drawn for support of J. Frank Merrill, carried forward ...	$70.99

Orders Drawn on Account of Edward Childs.

209	W. A. McCorrison, clothing	$ 2.00
553	H. A. Owen, medical attendance	2.00

194	M. S. Spear, undertaker	45.25
	Amount of orders drawn on account of Edward Childs carried forward	$49.25

Orders Drawn for Orrin Hidden, Deceased Soldier.

195	E. F. Ridlon, undertaker (State bill) ..	$35.00
	Amount of orders drawn for Orrin Hidden carried forward	$35.00

Orders Drawn for Support of Major Smith.

75	S. Hanson & Co., supplies	$27.37
191	J. E. Leavitt, supplies	51.03
268	R. A. Bradbury, supplies	29.74
386	R. A. Bradbury, supplies	17.84
519	C. A. Waterman, supplies	40.00
586	C. A. Waterman, supplies, in full to Feb. 16, 1912	64.37
650	R. A. Bradbury, supplies in full to Feb. 12, 1912	38.61
	Amount of orders drawn for Major Smith, carried forward	$268.96

Orders Drawn for Support of Ethel Brook's Family.

241	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	$12.00
242	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	15.00
287	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	16.52
469	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	40.00
572	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board,	32.00
601	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board	34.00
716	York Co. Children's Aid Society, board in full to February 12, 1911	13.70
	Amount of orders drawn for Brook's family carried forward	$163.22

Orders Drawn for Support of Joseph Hill.

21	A. H. Bradeen, board	$12.00
193	A. H. Bradeen, board	30.00
240	Edgar Dunnell, board	8.25
416	Edgar Dunnell, board	12.00
643	Edgar Dunnell, board in full to Feb. 12, 1912	16.50
662	H. A. Owen, medical attendance in full to Feb. 13, 1912	17.50
	Amount of orders drawn for support of Joseph Hill carried forward	$96.25

Orders Drawn for Support of John Rankins.
(State Claim.)

495	S. Meserve & Son, supplies	$8.00
552	H. A. Owen, medical attendance	3.00
	Amount of orders drawn for support of Mrs. Rankins carried forward	$11.00

Orders Drawn on Account of Mrs. Charlotte Lord.

256	F. W. Smith, cash paid to Town of Waterboro and expenses in removing to Town Farm	$6.50
267	Town of Waterboro, board	2.00
	Amount of orders drawn for support of Mrs. Charlotte Lord, carried forward	$8.50

Orders Drawn for Support of Mrs. Mary Thorne.

74	S. Hanson & Co., supplies	$11.63
165	C. A. Waterman, supplies	14.35
187	P. E. Lane, milk	19.80
266	R. A. Bradbury, supplies	17.40
290	P. E. Lane, milk	10.20
381	E. M. Varney, medical attendance	18.00
385	R. A. Bradbury, supplies	10.43
447	Mrs. H. S. Usher, rent	16.00

523	Harris Elwell, milk	8.52
565	Mrs. Julia Marshall, care	6.00
649	R. A. Bradbury, supplies in full to Feb. 12, 1912	18.55
654	E. M. Varney, medical attendance in full to Feb. 12, 1912	14.00
687	Harris E. Elwell, milk to Feb. 15, 1912,	5.52
	Amount of orders drawn for Mary Thorne carried forward	$170.40

Orders Drawn for Support of Geo. H. Fogg's Family.

653	J. E. Leavitt, supplies	$76.26
	Amount of orders drawn for support of Geo. H. Foggs' family carried forward	$76.26
	Amount of oredrs drawn for J. F. Merril, brought forward	70.99
	Amount of orders drawn for Edward Childs, brought forward	49.25
	Amount of orders drawn for Orrin Hidden, brought forward	35.00
	Amount of orders drawn for Major Smith, brought forward	268.96
	Amount of orders drawn for Brook's family, brought forward	163.22
	Amount of orders drawn for Joseph Hill, brought forward	96.25
	Amount of orders drawn for John Rankins, brought forward	11.00
	Amount of orders drawn for Mrs. Charlotte Lord, brought forward	8.50
	Amount of orders drawn for Mary Thorne, brought forward	170.40
	Total amount of orders drawn for poor not on Town Farm	$949.83

Net expense of Town Farm brought forward		188.00
Amount appropriated by Town..	$1350.00	
Amount recd. from sale of personal property Horace Hill estate ..	15.00	
Amount due from State on account of John Rankins	11.00	
Amount recd. from Windham on account of J. F. Merrill	70.99	
Amount recd. from Mrs. Charlotte Lord estate	8.50	
Amount recd. from State burial expense, Orrin Hidden	35.00	
	$1490.49	
Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1912		352.66
		$1490.49
Net expense of Town's poor, 1911		$997.34

Inventory of Personal Property on Town Farm.

4 cows ..	$160.00
115 hens	103.50
4 tons hay	60.00
Ensilege	65.00
3 pigs	12.00
30 bushels potatoes	25.00
4 bushels beans	12.00
Vegetables	5.00
3 bags grain	5.00
2 barrels apples	3.00
1-3 barrel flour	1.65
Spice	.40
Sugar	.50
19 pounds butter	5.70
Crackers	.15
Barrel vinegar	8.00
5 dozen eggs	1.50

Canned goods	5.00
Beds and bedding purchased in 1911	18.23
100 pounds pork	12.00
Total	$503.63

Sold off Buxton Town Farm From Feb. 13, 1911, to Feb. 15, 1912.

Cash on hand	$ 4.00
Cash recd. for labor, haying	16.00
Sweet corn	266.73
Butter, 1261½ pounds	325.30
Eggs, 591¼ dozen	145.67
Wood	204.38
Heifers, 5, 6 months old	60.00
Beef cows, 3	80.00
Calves, 4	26.50
Fowl and chicken, live weight 510½ pounds	61.31
Board	10.50
Meals, 40	10.45
Pigs, 23	65.60
Shoates, 4	26.00
Round hog, 1083 pounds	85.13
Labor, man, 1 horse	23.00
Bags, 56	1.12
Vegetables	1.23
Milk, 58 quarts	2.90
Buttermilk, 351 quarts	5.27
Pork, salt and fresh, 41½ pounds	4.76
Little chickens	4.20
Vinegar	.44
Beans	.25
Whole amount sold	$1430.74

Number of inmates during year	4
Number of inmates at present	1
Number of deaths	2

Number of tramps lodged and fed 144

Cash Paid Out by Agent.

Grain	$453.44
Groceries	103.96
3 cows	111.00
Flour, 4 barrels	22.00
Phosphate	85.90
Labor, cutting wood	68.60
Labor on farm	18.10
Plowing and harrowing	43.00
Hoeing and cultivating	18.30
Planting corn	7.00
Spreading manure	10.00
Yarding and hauling wood	16.00
Sawing school wood	4.50
Cleaning out well	2.00
Hauling wood (man and horse)	2.50
Shovelling manure	2.50
Fencing	1.25
Getting ice	1.00
Ice	3.00
Ensilege corn seed	3.76
Hardware, wire fence, barbed wire, tinware, nails, etc.	15.73
Hay	26.20
Grass and getting same	40.00
3 cockerels, for breeders	3.00
Meat	51.10
Fish	5.54
Butchering and marketing	8.00
Clothes for poor	6.88
Blacksmith work	5.77
Housecleaning and washing	6.05
Tobacco	1.10
Oil, 44 1-2 gallons	3.87
Meat and shells for poultry	6.47
Filing saws	1.55
Garden seed, tomato plants, etc.,	1.46
Repairing work rigging, wagon and har-	

ness	19.45
Grass seed	20.00
Three pigs	7.50
Damaged sweet corn	5.00
Vegetables	.25
Picking and hauling sweet corn	22.00
Cutting, hauling and chopping ensilage	66.75
One disk Harrow	22.50
Freight for same	.35
Dressing for farm	3.00
Powder and fuse for blasting	1.42
Beds and bedding for poor	18.23
Cultivator for Town Farm	4.50
Sweet corn seed	2.55
Sundries	13.95
Paid W. A. McCorrison, agent's salary	60.00
Total amount paid out	$1427.98

Orders Drawn for Building Town Farm Silo.

186	Maurice Kemp, hauling lumber	$ 4.00
377	Berlin Mills Co., lumber	56.42
444	L. C. Towle, silo hoops	19.84
515	A. F. Thompson, labor	1.75
549	Soule Grain Co., cement	9.01
659	S. Meserve & Son	9.75
661	C. B. Tebbetts, labor	8.00
676	Geo. E. Sawyer	31.18
706	A. A. Thurston, lumber	11.95
	Amount of orders drawn for silo	$151.90
	Town appropriation	$100.00
	Received from lumber sold from Town Farm, in payment for silo lumber bought	63.95
		$163.95

Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1912..... 12.05

$163.95

Report on Town Farm.

The management of the Town Farm demands much consideration and an article to that effect has been inserted in the warrant. In accordance with the vote of the Town, a new silo was erected and it has proved a success.

The amount of hay cut on the farm last year was only about 2 tons. This, with 5 tons of meadow hay, bought, and the ensilage, has furnished the feed for the 8 cows on the place.

The tillage tools last spring were, one old plow and one spike tooth harrow. As this was a poor outfit, the Agent purchased a new disc harrow and 1 cultivator.

The report of the Agent shows what was earned, but expenses should be reduced. He had about 10 acres to plow and harrow last spring and has done most of the plowing for this year. As there is only one horse on the farm, a large amount of work has to be hired. This has been done in a measure by exchanging work, but this is an expensive and uncertain way.

There is a large amount of wood on the place that ought to be cut, to the advantage of the standing timber. It seems best that this surplus wood be disposed of and the proceeds used to buy farming implements and to provide a place to house them. The buildings need repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry have worked hard on the place the past year. Five acres of ground were seeded down. Mr. Berry has furnished 4 cows and a horse, in addition to free use of a pasture adjoining the Town Farm, all a part of his services as Agent, so we feel that he has worked for the interest of the

Town. Something ought to be done to provide a team—the purchase of a pair of oxen in the spring might be a good policy.

Amount of Orders Drawn for Repairs on Town House.

28	A. H. Bradeen	$ 1.68
185	B. & M. R. R., freight on lumber	5.60
189	W. H. Perry, hauling lumber	4.00
197	Talbot, Brooks & Ayer	5.40
198	Soule Bros., lumber	6.73
199	Berlin Mills Co., lumber	17.81
206	Wilson Lumber Co., lumber	91.91
208	Arthur Campbell, labor	23.63
217	Edgar Dunnell, labor	35.65
219	B. & M. R. R., freight	1.12
279	W. H. Osborn, labor	27.00
280	C. A. Dunnell,	31.00
	C. H. Webster	2.50
384	R. A. Bradbury, material	17.52
587	W. H. Perry, labor	23.00
589	A. H. Bradeen, labor	23.50
600	Berlin Mills Co., lumber	12.92
609	A. H. Bradeen, labor on booths	2.00
633	A. J. Sawyer, funnel	1.32
636	C. A. Campbell, labor on booths	5.25
657	S. Meserve & Son, material	67.15
670	Edgar Dunnell, labor	8.25
701	H. H. Locke, freight and sundry bills	1.94
	Amount of orders drawn	$416.88
	Town appropriation $500.00	
	Recd. rent of Town House .75	
	Recd. sale of old stove 1.00	
	Recd. sale of lumber left over 4.66	
		$506.41

Amount unexpended Feb. 17, 1912		89.53
		$506.41

Value of lumber left over, $10. and paint on hand to finish job, $2.00.

Amount of Orders Drawn for Contingent Expenses, Town Officers.

689	H. H. Locke, services as selectman etc., in full, 1910	$ 17.25
691	F. W. Smith, services as selectman, etc., in full, 1910	16.00
699	L. H. Bolster, services as selectman, etc., in full, 1910	21.00
413	H. H. Locke, services as selectman, etc., in part, 1911	104.33
417	F. W. Smith, services as selectman, etc., in part, 1911	50.00
415	L. H. Bolster, services as selectman, etc., in part, 1911	50.00
718	H. H. Locke, services as selectman, etc., in full to Feb. 16, 1912	54.42
692	F. W. Smith, services as selectman, etc., in full to Feb. 16, 1912	50.00
700	L. H. Bolster, services as selectman, etc., in full to Feb. 16, 1912	37.00
13	C. L. Clement, services as superintendent of schools	43.75
204	C. L. Clement, services as superintendent of schools	43.75
356	C. L. Clement, services as superintendent of schools	50.00
477	C. L. Clement, services as superintendent of schools in full to Jan. 1, 1912	50.00
233	W. A. Merrill, services as moderator, March 6, 1911	4.00

285	D. J. Flanders, services as constable, 1911	12.00
585	D. J. Flanders, services posting warrant for primary election	5.00
675	D. J. Flanders, services as collector in full, 1911	301.52
524	P. S. Brooks, services as town clerk, 1911	18.00
525	Supply Dean, services as town clerk, 1911	2.00
628	E. P. Elwell, services on school board.	15.00
629	Irving Blake, services on school board	15.00
641	H. F. Hutchinson, services on school board	15.00
591	W. A. McCorrison, services as treasurer, 1911	50.00
329	C. H. Webber services as auditor, 1911	5.00
646	John M. Tarbox, services as truant officer	7.50
	Amount of orders drawn for town officers, carried forward	$1037.52

Orders Drawn for Miscellaneous Expenses.

1	Rev. M. Joseph Twomey, reporting marriage, 1910	$.25
70	The Averill Press, printing 1910 reports	72.23
72	Loring, Short & Harmon, town supplies	24.00
76	Ralph Veazie, watchman at Lower Corner fire	2.25
107	L. H. Bolster, conveying James Finnigan to Augusta	10.44

108	A. G. Wiley, examination of James Finnigan	2.00
109	H. A. Owen, examination and attendance	3.00
110	H. H. Locke, services in case of James Finnigan	2.00
111	L. H. Bolster, services in case of James Finnegan	1.00
113	Robert H. Deering, watching at Lower Corner fire	2.00
117	Howard Brackett, recording deed, Bog Mills School yard	.50
153	The Hartford Press, letter heads for Supt. of schools	1.15
155	John Ross, watching at Lower Corner fire	2.00
200	C. L. Clement, stationery and postage.	5.32
207	Shaw Business College, diplomas for High school	5.25
218	American Seating Co., school flag.....	4.20
220	H. & N. F. Elden, ribbon	1.30
234	W. A. Mason, gate keeper September election, 1911	2.00
235	James H. Towle, gate keeper, September election	2.00
236	Fred B. Rand, ballot clerk, September election	2.00
237	John M. Tarbox, ballot clerk, September election, 1911	2.00
238	S. A. Waterman, election clerk, Sept, 1911	2.00
239	Burtt A. Bradbury, election clerk, Sept. 1911	2.00
250	Alonzo Palmer, watching at Lower Corner fire	2.00
286	A. G. Wiley, examination, Ferdinand Bent	2.00
310	Supply Dean & Son, guide boards....	20.30

313	W. A. Hobson, issuing burial permits..	5.10
361	A. R. Pennell, serving notice on Ferdinand Bent	2.42
362	A. R. Pennell, watching at Bar Mills, July 4	2.00
378	E. A. Palmer, insurance on Town House three years	56.25
379	Supply Dean & Son, Board of Health sign	.75
380	E. M. Varney, reporting births and deaths	2.00
408	P. S. Brooks, enforcing dog law	20.00
445	O. G. Parker, watching at West Buxton July 4	2.00
496	E. A. Hobson, survey and making deed Bog Mill school	2.00
497	A. R. Pennell, constable fees, Chester Brooks case	4.50
522	F. W. Smith, expenses investigating Charlotte Lord case	3.50
551	A. G. Wiley, reporting births and deaths	10.75
554	H. A. Owen, examination Ferdinand Bent	2.00
575	Loring, Short & Harmon, Road Commissioners book	.30
578	F. W. Sanborn, moth notices	4.00
579	W. A. Hobson, postage on moth notices	6.53
584	Geo. B. Berry, wood for Town House..	2.75
592	W. A. McCorrison, treasurer supplies,	8.25
593	Buxton Center Cemetery Association, interest on Hanson fund	20.00
597	D. J. Flanders, collector's supplies....	7.25
604	James Towle, gate keeper at Primary election	2.00
605	Joseph Nason, gate keeper at Primary election	2.00

606	John M. Tarbox, election clerk, Primary election	2.00
607	S. A. Waterman, ballot clerk, Primary election	2.00
608	Burtt A. Bradbury, ballot clerk, Primary election	2.00
610	D. J. Flanders, two tax deeds	67.90
613	L. O. Buzzell, reporting births and deaths, 1910 and 1911	.75
614	Loring, Short & Harmon, order book	4.50
615	H. A. Owen, reporting births and deaths	5.50
627	T. E. Sawyer, repairs to I. Rosenburg's cart	1.25
640	Sylvanus Sargent, watching Lower Corner fire	2.00
642	P. S. Brooks, births, deaths, etc.	18.15
674	F. W. McCorrison, express	1.00
688	Judge Enoch Foster, legal business	20.00
690	H. H. Locke, express on Town reports and telephone tolls	1.70
693	F. W. Smith, amount paid for expenses	5.80
697	Cleaves, Waterhouse & Emery, written opinion road business	5.00
698	Cleaves, Waterhouse & Emery, legal business Brook's case	6.00
702	American Express Co., express on flag,	.35
703	H. H. Locke, telephone toll calls to March 16	5.58
718	H. H. Locke, cash paid E. A. Palmer, depositions for State, John Rankins' case	1.25
719	H. H. Locke	12.65
	Amount of orders drawn for miscellaneous account	$ 506.92
	Amount of orders drawn for Town Officers brought forward	1037.52

Town appropriation	$1500.00	
Due on tax deed, 1910, paid from contingent account, 1910...	52.88	
Due on tax deed, 1911, paid from contingent account, 1911 ...	53.00	
Cash for redeemed tax deeds, 1910 paid from contingent account 1910	33.70	
Cash for redeemed tax deeds, 1911, paid from contingent account, 1911	14.90	
Recd. cash from State on account James Finnigan	18.44	
Recd. cash from estate Charlotte Lord, order 522, miscellaneous account	3.50	
Recd. cash from Town of Paris, order 497, miscellaneous account	4.50	
Appropriated from overlay to balance account	451.04	
	$2131.96	
Exceeded appropriation Feb. 17, 1911		587.52
		$2131.96

Abatements and Overlay Account, Orders Drawn.

673 D. J. Flanders, for abatements		$ 67.05
Appropriated to balance State road account		56.00
Appropriated to balance Bog Mill school yard account		25.00
Appropriated to balance contingent account,		451.04
Rebate from State on State tax..	$848.48	
Overlay in assessment	617.51	
Amount exceeded Feb. 17, 1912..	1122.41	
	$2588.40	

Amount exceeded Feb. 17, 1911	1989.31
	$2588.40

Abatements.

Albert E. Cressey, 1910, out of town	$2.00
Chas. J. Knights, 1910, out of town	.98
Everett B. Tibbetts, 1910, sickness	2.00
James Bradeen, out of town	2.00
Alonzo Palmer, out of town	2.90
Emile Bellevieu, out of State	2.00
Horatio Harmon, paid in California	2.00
George Burgess, paid in Hollis	2.00
Henry Daniels, paid in Alfred	2.00
Milton Allen, heirs of, sickness	5.55
Henry Fogg, inability	2.04
M. L. Cousins, soldier	2.00
Chas. Knights, can not be found	2.00
Rev. E. E. Harris, out of State	2.04
Wm. Haskell, deceased	4.04
James Junkins, illegal	2.00
Wm. Lane, error	.85
Daniel C. Pinkham, illegal	2.00
Elmer G. Redlon, paid in Gorham	2.00
Ambrose Rose, minor	2.00
Clarence Randall, paid in Brownfield	2.00
Llewellyn Smith, illegal	2.00
F. A. Files, heirs of, taxed for property not owned	15.30
Mrs. Sadie Swett, out of State	3.35
Amount	$67.05
Whole number of orders drawn	720
Amounting to	$16,683.76

Respectfully submitted,

H. H. LOCKE,

F. W. SMITH,

L. H. BOLSTER,

Selectmen of Buxton.

Delinquents.

William B. Auld	$2.00
Orman K. Cobb, heirs of	1.40
Melville E. Moody	2.30
Grover Randall	1.00
Edward H. Smith	2.00
Aaron Smith	2.00
Eugene Willey	2.00
Samuel D. Berry	3.19
	$15.89

Treasurer's Report

Receipts.

Cash on hand Feb. 16, 1911	$2,714.39
State, on acct. of Free High School for year 1910	500.00
State, on acct. of dog licenses refunded, year 1910	97.43
State on acct. of State pensions, year 1910	174.00
State on acct. of railroad and telegraph tax, year 1911	28.99
Town of Windham, pauper bill, 1910	6.00
Town of Dayton, on acct. tuition, 1910	32.00
Auctioneer licenses	1.00
Portland National Bank, on Town notes	3,000.00
Town Clerk, on acct. dog licenses year, 1911	149.00
Rent of Town Hall	.75
Sale of old stove	1.00
On acct. of Horace Hill estate	15.00
On acct. of Charlotte Lord estate	12.00
Mrs. H. S. Usher, tuition West Buxton school	6.25
Dearborn Hill School Improvement League refunded	3.50
Buxton High School on dictionary refunded	5.00
D. J. Flanders, collector on tax bills, in full for year 1910	97.13
D. J. Flanders, collector on tax bills for year 1911*	20,087.42
State of Maine on acct. Common schools year 1911	1,758.28
State of Maine on acct. school fund and mill tax, year 1911	1,705.42

Town of Windham, pauper bills, Merrill family	70.99
State on acct. James Finnigan	18.44
On acct. of old tax deeds	111.50
Sale of Town House lumber	4.66
Town of South Paris	4.50
Geo. B. Berry, Agent, proceeds from Town Farm	60.00
State of Maine on acct. Free High School	500.00
State of Maine on acct. burial soldier	35.00
E. M. Hill for clapboards from school repairs	3.75
Lumber sold from Town Farm	100.00
State Treasurer, rebate on State taxes, year 1908 and 1909	848.48
State Treasurer, on acct State road	184.00
State Treasurer, on acct. of State pensions,	432.00
H. H. Locke, moth acct. collected	9.25
Meserve, Dearborn and Brooks, ads in Town report	3.00
	$32,780.13

*Inclusive moth tax collected, $35.20.

W. A. McCORRISON,
Treasurer of Buxton, Maine.

Buxton, Me., Feb. 17, 1912.

Examined and found correct.

HERMAN H. LOCKE,
FRED W. SMITH,
LESTER H. BOLSTER,
Selectmen of Buxton, Me.

Paid Out.

State of Maine, on acct. State tax for year 1911	$ 6,919.67
State dog licenses for year 1911	149.00
State pensions for the year 1911	432.00

York County tax for year in full	1,269.47
Portland National Bank Town notes	3,000.00
Portland National Bank, interest on notes	62.50
Outstanding Town order, year 1910	2.00
Town orders per order book	16,683.76
Cash on hand to balance account	4,261.73
	$32,780.13

W. A. McCORRISON,
Treasurer of Town of Buxton, Me.

Buxton, Feb. 17, 1912.

Examined and found correct,
H. H. LOCKE,
F. W. SMITH,
Selectmen of Buxton.

Statement of the Finances of the Town of Buxton for the Year Ending February 17, 1912.

Resources.

Cash on hand	$4261.73
Due from Hollis for tuition	51.00
Due from Dayton for High School tuition	32.00
Due from tax deeds (estimated)	128.00
Due from State on acct. John Rankin, State pauper	11.00
Due from State on account dog tax (estimated)	100.00
Due from Collector	14.43
	$4598.16

Liabilities.

Due the Common Schools	$1768.97
Due the High School	288.93
Outstanding bills (estimated)	50.00
Appropriated and unexpended for sealed weights and measures	125.00

Due Buxton Centre Cemetery Association (to be invested in trust by vote of town)	500.00
Resources above liabilities to balance	1865.26
	$4598.16

I have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer of the Town of Buxton for the year ending Feb. 17, 1912, and find the books correctly balanced and the payments properly vouched.

CHARLES H. WEBSTER,
Auditor of the Town of Buxton.

Feb. 19, 1912.

The Buxton Scholarship.

Bowdoin College,
March 1, 1911.

To the Selectmen of Buxton:

Sirs—I hand you herewith my Annual Report in regard to the Buxton Scholarship Fund; showing how it is invested, the amount thereof, and the receipts and payments since the date of my last Report, etc., etc.

I. B. BOOKER,
Treasurer of the College.

Amount of fund, March 1, 1910	$4080.67
Balance of income transferred to fund May 10, 1910	73.11
	$4153.78

Invested as follows:

Portland Water Co., 4% bonds $4000.00	4140.00
Portland Savings Bank	13.78
Amount of fund March 1, 1911	$4153.78

Income Account.

Balance, March 1, 1910	$148.11
Receipts for the year to March 1, 1911	160.00
	$308.11

Transferred to fund May 10, 1910	$73.11
Paid M. C. Hill	75.00
Balance to credit of income, March 1, 1911	160.00
	$308.11

Town Clerk's Report

MARRIAGES.

1910

Sept. 30 By Lamont Hilton, City Clerk, Portsmouth, N. H., Edward P. Hobson of Buxton and Katherine Corkum of Standish.

1911

Feb. 25 By E. E. Harris, of Buxton, Joseph L. Paine of Buxton and Hattie M. Paine of Standish.

June 19 By B. F. Turner, North Berwick, Arthur C. Gerrish of Augusta and Harriet B. Fogg of Buxton.

June 21 By Robert G. Harbutt of Buxton, Oland W. Trask of Portland and Lucy M. McKenney of Buxton.

July 4 By Frank C. Bradeen of Buxton, Preston H. Pennell of Buxton and Laura Etta Elwell of Buxton.

Aug. 30 By V. E. Bragdon of Hollis, Rufus K. Bowker and Ida E. Dunnell, both of Buxton.

Sept. 14 By Herbert F. Moulton of Biddeford, Walter Dolley of Old Orchard, and Helen King Marshall of Buxton.

Oct. 9 By F. C. Bradeen of Buxton, Daniel Pinkham of Buxton and Gertrude Harmon of Limington.

Oct. 10 By John A. Ford of Gorham, Wm. H. Osborn and Mary C. McLellan, both of Buxton.

Oct. 11 By Robert G. Harbutt of Buxton, Frank Barrett and Coma V. Pease, both of

Buxton.

Oct. 18 By Robert G. Harbutt of Buxton, Joseph F. O. Nason of Buxton and Della F. Hill of Saco.

Oct. 21 By E. C. Harmon of Gorham, Arthur G. Weeman of Buxton and Ethel May Harmon of Hollis.

Oct. 25—By J. L. Monroe of Buxton, Frank J. Gallant and Marcia M. Atkinson, both of Buxton.

Nov. 1 By Robert G. Harbutt of Buxton, Freeman Morrill Rose and Grace Moulton, both of Buxton.

Dec. 23 By Thomas Simms of Gorham, William Grover McLeese and Betsie Fitch Bradeen, both of Buxton.

Dec. 23 By Robert G. Harbutt of Buxton, James B. Waterman and Susie Smith, both of Buxton.

Dec. 23 By Joseph Dreyer of Lawrence, Mass., Alfred Louis Saindon and Ella C. Atkinson, both of Buxton.

Dec. 24 By V. E. Bragdon, of Standish, Herbert H. Hobson of Buxton and Gertrude E. Foss of Standish.

BIRTHS.

Feb. 12 To M. V. and Eva May Ingalls, a son.

Mar. 25 To Harry B. and Etta C. Dyer, a daughter.

Mar. 29 To James S. and Alice M. Bradeen, a son.

April 1 To Warner H. and Bessie D. Garland, a son.

April 2 To Rupert D. and Myra F. Soule, a son.

April 14 To Lester G. and Florence Sands, a son.

April 20 To Ethel G. Brooks, a daughter.

April 24 To Charles J. and May Knight, a son.

April 30 To Fred S. Bradeen, Jr., and Rosie L. Emmons, a daughter.
May 4 To Edward L. and Hazel Stone, a daughter.
May 18 To Ernest H. and Florine Dennett, a daughter.
May 27 To Frank and Gertie Holt, a daughter.
June 2 To Carroll M. and Luella May Rounds, a daughter.
June 14 To Jas. Garfield and Muriel F. Hutchinson, a son.
July 22 To Willard V. and Capitola H. Chadbourne, a son.
July 31 To Edward P. and Catharine Hobson, a son.
Aug. 13 To Chester C. and Eva A. Smith, a daughter.
Aug. 21 To Raymond E. and Annie M. Flanders, a son.
Aug. 31 To Geo. W. and Jennie Davis, a daughter.
Sept. 3 To Melville F. and Molly E. Richards, a daughter.
Sept. 6 To Herbert W. and Clara A. Redlon, a son.
Sept. 8 To Albert E. and Nellie Cressy, a son.
Sept. 8 To Geo. B. and Susie P. Hayes, a daughter.
Sept. 18 To Arthur and Alma Pinkham, a daughter.
Sept. 23 To Ernest W. and Lizzie L. Parker, a daughter.
Sept. 24 To Charles and Gladys E. Parker, a daughter.
Sept. 26 To Robert and Almeda Parks, a son.
Sept. 28 To Lewis P. and Mary Alice Rowe, a son.
Oct. 4 To Herbert A. and Bertha M. Davis, a son.
Oct. 10 To Sumner and Sarah Melvina Tyler, a son.
Oct. 14 To Will H. and Blanche Marston, a son.
Oct. 19 To Samuel E. and Edith Harriman, a daughter.
Nov. 16 To Horatio S. and May E. Blake, a daughter.

Nov. 25 To Sumner A. and Blanch Waterman, a daughter.
Nov. 29 To Thos. G. and Ethel Atkinson, a son.
Dec. 14 To John Chester and Charlotte Haley, a daughter.
Dec. 16 To Fred and Ellen Boissonneault, a son.
Dec. 22 To John W. and Elsie Bradeen, a daughter.
Dec. 27 To Fred E. and Ellie B. Totman, a daughter.
Jan. 17 To Chester and Ethel Townsend, a daughter.
Jan. 23 To Austin G. and Abbie H. Gorham, a son.
Feb. 5 To Morris W. and Mava A. Rowe, a daughter.

DEATHS.

1911.
Jan. 14 Albert R. Fogg, 77 yrs. 2 mos. 24 days.
Jan. 22 Nellie E. Martin, 39 yrs. 8 mos. 6 days.
Jan. 31 Mary E.Tibbetts, 78 yrs. 11 mos. 15 days.
Feb. 10 Mary M. Frost, 70 yrs. 7 mos. 6 days.
Mar. 3 Gilbert T. Davis, 63 years, 2 mos. 16 days.
Mar. 17 Francis L. Wildes, 84 yrs.
Mar. 21 Daniel Wentworth, 64 yrs. 5 mos. 13 days.
Mar. 29 James Staples Gordon, 76 yrs. 6 mos. 20 days.
April 1 Chas. E. Hill, 74 yrs. 6 mos. 28 days.
April 10 Sarah J. Merrill, 70 yrs. 2 mos.
April 13 Fred P. Berry, 39 yrs.
April 14 Baby Sands, stillborn.
April 30 Baby Emmons Bradeen, stillborn.
May 3 Helen Doris Davis, 12 yrs. 7 mos. 3 days.
May 6 Quenton D. Totman, 6 yrs. 6 mos.
May 16 Mary Ann Cressy, 84 yrs. 19 days.
May 16 Louise M. Bruies, 55 yrs. 3 mos. 26 days.
May 16 Moses Boynton, 82 years, 3 mos.
June 2 William W. Smith, 66 yrs. 28 days.
June 25 Oma T. Smith, 1 yr. 3 mos. 22 days.

July 2 Cyrus F. Davis, 68 years.
July 4 Leonard C. Harmon, 75 yrs, 3 mos. 6 days.
July 9 Orrin A. Hidden, 71 yrs, 9 mos. 1 day.
July 19 Theodore F. Elwell, 61 yrs. 2 mos. 13 days.
July 25 Dorcas Ellen Hancock, 76 yrs.
Aug. 8 Oliver Elwell, 64 yrs, 4 mos.
Aug. 11 Stephen F. Adams, 86 yrs, 9 mos. 24 days.
Aug. 28 Mary A. Hutchinson, 75 yrs.
Aug. 30 Benjamin G. Milliken, 73 yrs. 2 mos.
Aug. 31 Baby Davis, stillborn.
Sept. 3 Melville C. Owen, 78 yrs. 9 mos. 25 days.
Sept. 3 Baby Richards, stillborn.
Sept. 8 Harold J. Graffam, 19 yrs. 2 mos.
Sept. 9 Mary Ann Berry, 83 yrs.
Sept. 12 William E. Libby, 49 yrs, 5 mos. 21 days.
Sept. 14 Claud B. Harmon, 76 yrs. 7 mos. 22 days.
Sept. 16 Catharine B. Scribner, 61 yrs. 8 mos. 22 days.
Oct. 2 Della F. Wentworth, 50 yrs. 11 mos. 2 days.
Oct. 8 William H. Dunnell, 84 yrs. 6 mos. 14 days.
Oct. 9 Thomas Breen, 84 yrs.
Oct. 10 Henry A. Chadbourne, 69 yrs.
Nov. 4 John G. Locke, 74 yrs. 9 mos. 14 days.
Nov. 15 Mary Ann Dunn, 83 yrs. 17 days.
Nov. 15 Jennie M. Smith, 72 yrs. 3 mos. 15 days.
Nov. 13 Esther J. Eaton, 82 yrs.
Nov. 25 Eliza Lock, 59 yrs. 8 mos. 25 days.
Nov. 26 James L. Sawyer, 84 yrs. 9 mos. 10 days.
Nov. 26 Lottie A. Lord, 77 yrs.
Nov. 26 Edwin S. Moulton, 53 yrs. 1 mo. 21 days.
Dec. 7 Warren Nason, 65 yrs. 8 mos. 21 days.
Dec. 15 Mary E. Goodwin, 80 yrs. 6 mos.
Dec. 15 Emma F. Rounds, 54 yrs.
Dec. 26 Elmer W. Berry, 42 yrs.

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Jan. 3 Mary Ellen Sawyer, 66 yrs. 11 mos. 19 days.

Jan.	7	George F. Rounds, 84 yrs. 1 mo. 22 days.
Jan.	8	Chas. R. Hanson, 89 yrs. 2 mos. 3 days.
Jan.	14	Edward Gibbs, 40 yrs. 8 mos.
Jan.	14	William S. Haskell, 53 yrs. 10 mos.
Jan.	28	Martha E. Hanson, 60 yrs. 11 mos. 20 days.

Respectfully submitted,

P. S. BROOKS, Town Clerk.

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Buxton:

The annual report of the conditions, progress and needs of your schools for the year ending March 1st, 1912, is hereby presented for your inspection and approval. This is the fourth report since the formation of the Buxton-Standish Supervisory District.

I wish to extend the thanks of the town to Buxton Grange for the continued free use of its excellent library; to Frank J. Leavitt for the gift of an organ to the Salmon Falls school; and to Mrs. Riggs and Miss Nora Smith for the gift of a picture, "The Senses" to Salmon Falls school; to the Society of Colonial Dames for the use of a State Travelling Library for the Chicopee School and community.

Boys and Girls Fair.

The second annual Boys and Girls Fair was held on Labor Day, 1911, under the management of Buxton Grange. Every school was represented and the exhibits were considered by the judges to be much better in quality than those at the first fair. From every point of view the fair was a marked success. Buxton Grange deserves much credit for its interest in the schools as shown by its willingness to stand sponsor for the fair. This interest and co-operative spirit is highly appreciated by school officials and teachers and is a source of encouragement to them. This year the fair will be held on Monday, June 16, and will be under the management of Buxton Grange, High School Alumni Association, Teachers' Club and

school officials, and promises to be even more successful in size and variety of exhibits and quality of work. The agricultural part of the fair will be held in the fall in connection with the Grange Fair. It is hoped that citizens generally will avail themselves of this opportunity to see the kind of work that is being done in the schools. Since there may be some feeling in town that the work of the fair is occupying time that could be better spent in other ways I will say that the exhibits are largely from the regular work of the schools in arithmetic, grammar, geography, spelling, writing, drawing and nature study and that the interest in these subjects is showing a marked gain. The industrial work is done mostly outside of regular school hours. The teachers who are most energetic in assisting their pupils in this work report it to be a distinct help in discipline as it provides employment and training for both the hands and the minds of their pupils.

Teachers.

The teachers employed this year have worked hard for the success of their schools. It is doubtful if any town in the State has a larger proportion of trained teachers. Ten of our twelve teachers are normal graduates, the other two have attended summer schools, hold State certificates and are successful and experienced as teachers. At the close of the spring term there were six vacancies which we were generally successful in filling with good teachers. The teaching force this winter is the same as in the fall. We feel that in nearly every case our teachers are energetic, conscientious and hard working, and that they are doing excellent work for their schools.

Teachers' Meetings.

Monthly teachers' meetings have been held during the year. Since the beginning of the fall term these have been conducted by the Buxton Teachers' Club which has been organized by the teachers and

school officials, the object being, as stated in the constitution, "The benefit the schools of the town in every possible way and to improve its members professionally." Topics of general interest have been discussed, such as the following: "Reading," "The Elements of a Good School," "The New State Course of Study," "Discipline and Time Economy," "Attendance and Punctuality," "Use of School Library," "Nature Work," "The Power of Habit," "Spelling," "Use of the Dictionary," "Improvement League Work," "The Teaching of Arithmetic," etc. An excellent and helpful talk on "Morals and Manners in the Public Schools." was given at one of the meetings by Rev. R. C. Harbutt. A few citizens have attended the meetings and we hope for a larger attendance in the future.

The reception given by Rev. and Mrs. Harbutt and the Dorcas Society, to the teachers and school officials, at the Congregational Parish House, proved a very pleasant occasion. A large number of citizens were present and many pleasant things were said regarding the work of the schools. The bringing together of teachers and patrons of the schools socially is sure to result in a better understanding of the teachers' work and more sympathetic co-operation.

Courses of Study.

The courses of study as outlined last year have been followed with but little variation, and good progress has been made towards having uniform work done in all the schools in all grades. The supplementary work in arithmetic, reading, history, nature study and geography, and the completion of the regular work as laid down in the courses of study are giving our pupils a more thorough fit for the work of the High School, and also are keeping them profitably employed for a longer time in the common schools, thus preventing their entering High School too young. It would be a great help in keeping up the

grading of the schools if parents generally would have their children enter in the fall term instead of entering in both spring and fall as is generally done.

The Union School.

The Union School has been transported to Salmon Falls during the entire year and this arrangement has so far proven very satisfactory. The addition of the Union pupils brings the number of pupils at Salmon Falls up to twenty and much better work is being done than if the schools had been run separately.

Bog Mills.

At Bog Mills the playground has been enlarged and the school building moved back and thoroughly remodelled. The main room has been enlarged by taking in the old entries and an addition built on for dressing rooms and teachers' room. New slate blackboards and recitation settees have been provided. The Smith Heating and Ventilating System has been installed. This system heats the entire room evenly and provides plenty of heated fresh air, taken directly from outdoors, and removes the old air, entirely changing the air in the room several times hourly. The results of the use of this system have fully met the expectations of the committee and it is hoped that a generous appropriation may be given for repairs so that this system, or a similar system may be installed in other schools. The shed, containing the sanitary arrangement, is connected with the building and is entered only from the main room. This is a distinct advantage as it puts it under the direct control of the teacher and does away entirely with pupils going out of doors during the sessions. This building is now the most modern and best arranged building of any in town and one that the town may well be proud of. Much credit is due to Mr. E. P. Elwell, who has had the entire charge of the work, for the plans and the excellence of the work. Unfortunately, on

account of the remodelling of the building, it was not possible to open the school until late in the fall term. A part of the time, however, will be made up before the end of the year.

The Need of a Graded School at Bar Mills.

The condition of the buildings at Bar Mills, Scribners and Lower Corner, is such that something ought to be done there at once. To remodel these buildings and provide suitable playgrounds would cost nearly, if not quite, as much as a building that would accommodate the three schools and thus give us a graded school. Whatever additional initial cost there might be would be more than made up in a few years by the lessened cost of maintainance of the one building in place of the three. In the three schools there has been enrolled this year one hundred pupils. At the Depot School the teacher has twenty-eight recitations daily or an average of twelve minutes per recitation; at Scribner the teacher has thirty-three recitations, or an average of ten minutes per recitation; at Lower Corner the average is fourteen minutes per recitation. In a graded school with three teachers the average recitation period would be lengthened to twenty or thirty minutes with a corresponding increase in the effectiveness of the instruction given. Again in the three schools the grades are small and consequently lacking in interest and enthusiasm. In the graded school, on the contrary, the grades would be three times as large on the average with a corresponding increase in interest and enthusiasm. Efficient teachers generally prefer the graded to the ungraded school and can be retained longer, even at the same pay. Again a teacher with only three grades can concentrate her energies in preparation for each day's work, while the energies of the teacher who has all the grades are dissapated in preparation, and frequently wasted in application. If the quality of the teaching is improved,

the mental and moral training will improve. The pupil receiving more attention from the teacher is kept alert and cultivates to a larger degree the habits of promptness, regularity, industry, order and neatness. Also the moral atmosphere is better than in the ungraded school.

High School.

At the beginning of the fall term we were fortunate in securing Mr. S. C. Laupher as Principal of our High School. Under his leadership, ably assisted by Miss Libby, our High School is making good progress. In regard to the present condition and work of the school, I wish to call attention to the Principal's report, herewith appended. The State High School Inspector in his report expresses satisfaction with the work of the school, but calls attention to the inadequacy of the building. The State Superintendent has twice written regarding the same matter. The need of a building is evident to all and it is hoped that favorable action will be taken by the town this year.

Improvement League Work.

The final reports of League work done during the year are very interesting, but I can only touch them briefly.

The Eagle League of the Buxton Center School, besides the $15 in prizes from the Boys' and Girls' fair, has earned $4.16 from entertainments, added seventeen books to its library, and secured a good book case and set of tools for manual training work.

The William C. Webster League has added twelve books to its library and made other improvements valued at $13.00, including a fine book case. The teacher says, "I think the School League has inspired the pupils to do better work, also to take more pride in the furnishings and care of the schoolroom."

The Duck Pond League has added seven books to its library, purchased a clock and book case, has set

out lilac, flowering almond, and a tree, and made beds for ferns, bulbs and flowers.

The Chicopee League has added twenty books to its library and made other improvements.

The West Buxton League has added twenty-two books to its library and given $10.00 towards new slate blackboards.

The Shadigee League has secured fourteen new books and a croquet set, and has $4.00 in the treasury.

The Bog Mills League has secured fourteen books, provided curtains for the school room, had a picture framed and has $7.00 in treasury.

The Scribner League has purchased a clock, a picture and curtains for the school room.

The Dearborn Hill League has secured eight books, provided curtains for the school room, and paid $3.50 towards a teacher's desk.

A total of $100.00 has been spent for improvements besides $49.32 in Larkin soap orders. 110 books have been added to school libraries, making a total of 840 in all school libraries, a gain of 700 in two and one half years. This record of League work, is, indeed, one to be proud of; but the interest and enthusiasm it has inspired in the pupils who have done the work is beyond estimation.

In view of the progress which has been made along all lines of school work, I unhesitatingly say that this has been a profitable year for the schools of Buxton. I wish, in closing, to express my appreciation of the co-operative spirit shown by the teachers and of the helpful advice and unanimous support of the School Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. CLEMENT.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF BUXTON HIGH SCHOOL.

To the Superintendent of Schools, the School Committee and the Citizens of the Town of Buxton.

I desire to submit a report of the condition of your high school and a summary of the work accomplished thus far this year. In beginning, allow me to say that I have no apologies to make for the High School. I maintain that the work done here and the results obtained equal those of the average country high school of the State of Maine. I do not say that we have all the accessories and supplies that some other schools have; but I believe that a great many of the so called educational aids and devices are a detriment to real progress rather than of any value. The fact that the best college entrance examination papers are passed in by students from the small country high schools rather than from the great schools of the cities, bears out this statement. One of the weak points of our educational system of today is multiplicity of subjects and resulting lack of thoroughness. Is a library of ten thousand volumes with only about a twentieth part in actual use of any more value to a high school than a small sompact library, showing the earmarks of constant use? Let us not spend our time wishing for those things which we cannot hope to have and many of which would not even be beneficial if we had them; but let us make use of the many opportunities at hand and we may hope to accomplish much. We are unable to take up and try out here many of the latest ideas in education. But when we consider that a great many of such theoretical plans are tried and after a time abandoned as worthless, resulting in so much time

and expense wasted, we may well feel we can afford to wait until such ideas have been thoroughly tested and if they are practical there will then be plenty of time to introduce them.

The janitor work at the High School this year has been done by the students themselves and the funds so received have been and will be expended for those things which cannot fail to be of benefit to the whole school, and which we value more highly, having earned them ourselves, than if they had been given to us.

A good reading table has been purchased and on it has been placed much of the best current literature of the day, comprising many well known magazines and periodicals. This is of great benefit to the school. In the first place it is an excellent thing for boys and girls to read much. It is desirable for various reasons. Now it is just as essential that they have good literature at hand instead of being allowed to select their reading matter from the great mass of cheap books and papers, having low morals and giving distorted views of life, which cannot fail to be detrimental. Along this same line, we are indebted to those who were in charge of the Boys' and Girls' Fair for an addition of fifteen volumes to our school library. These, together with what we already had, give us a good foundation for a library and one which contains little or no useless material.

Near the beginning of the year the school organized a debating and literary society, which was called the Adelphian. All members of the school take part in the meetings, which are held each week. The meetings themselves are conducted by school officers and are held outside of the regular school hours. I believe this society is proving of much interest to the students and is conferring great and lasting influence for the good upon them. It is very desirable in these days for people in all vocations to be

able to address an assembly in a creditable manner.

Some work has been done, during the year, in dramatics. The members of the Junior Class presented a drama at the close of the fall term and the Seniors are now working on a play to be staged before the close of the winter term. The work done upon these plays is of course outside of the regular school work and means considerable extra labor for the pupils who are obliged to ride long distances after rehearsals. The good results from dramatics are far more than any financial benefits which may be received. No one can be in the cast of a play without making progress in expression and often, if the play is of the right sort, the results are more far reaching and tend even to the formation of character.

Our present day schools are often criticised for the seeming lack of good morals and manners among the pupils. If this is true, then we of the country have the advantage over our neighbors of the city, in that we do not have to contend with so many of those evils which corrupt and demoralize. We are doing what we can to bring up the moral standing of our school and hope to do more. We were represented at the Student Conference of the Y. M. C. A. at Orono, February 16th, 17th and 18th; by two delegates. Not only those boys who attended will be benefited but also the good name of the school, by being represented at such a conference.

Following the custom of former years, the school has published a paper. The Buxton High School Crescent is now in the hands of the printer and contains material furnished entirely by the present undergraduates; the editorial work and managing was also done by the pupils themselves. Such work as this is always beneficial as no form of composition will stimulate the best efforts of the student as that which is to be preserved in print. The work of managing also furnishes considerable practice in busi-

ness methods to those who have it in charge.

In regard to the routine and of course the most important work of the school, I have not space to give here any detailed account. We have endeavored this year to make the recitation work thorough and definite. At the suggestion of our superintendent we are now at work upon a High School catalogue which will contain a complete description of the aims and requirements of the course of study. In this a detailed account will be given of just what subjects will be required for graduation in each course and an outline of the work under each subject. This will serve as a guide to pupils and teachers alike and will do much to raise the standard of the school.

The addition which has been made to the labratory equipment this year by appropriation of the town is certainly worthy of mention. Several pieces of apparatus have been secured which will be of lasting benefit to the science department. Also such supplies as are always necessary for carrying on a labratory course, have been furnished. Consequently we are able to do a very creditable year's work in physics and one which will be, I think, satisfactory to any of the colleges to which our students may go.

All pupils who have ability and health should be urged to take a course at college. In these days of enlightenment and specialization, a college training is much to be desired and in the days before us, such a training will be almost essential for great success in any line of endeavor. In regard to fitting for college, there is absolutely no need for students to leave their school here in order to attend preparatory schools away from home. Under the present management any student, who receives a diploma in the college preparatory course, will be able to pass the entrance examinations of at least any college in Maine.

This year we have adopted the plan of requiring

that all recitations missed on account of absence from school be made up out of hours. This plan works well in that it gives an opportunity to each pupil to make up the work missed through sickness or other reasons. It also serves to make the teachers sure that each student has studied and understands what his class has been over. It also helps keep up the attendance although the absences this year have been remarkably few considering the distance which the boys and girls travel each day.

In conclusion, I desire to thank the Superintendent of Schools and the Superintending School Committee for their unfailing courtesy and interest in the school and their ready attention to its needs. I also gladly invite the parents of the scholars and also others interested to visit the school and furnish any suggestions for its betterment, which may occur to them. It is not necessary for me to call attention to the needs of the school. The need of a new building is obvious and I feel sure that when the good people of Buxton are asked to do so, they will forget all else in their zeal to place this High School in suitable quarters.

STACY C. LAUPHER.

TABULAR REPORT.

School	Term	Teacher	Weeks of School.....	Wages per Week....	Whole Attendance ...	Average Attendance .	Percent Attendance .	No. Not Absent.....
Bar Mills	Spring	Etta M. Stuart	10	10.00	34	28	823	3
	Fall	Etta M. Stuart	13	10.00	40	29	.725	1
	*Winter	Etta M. Stuart	10	10.00	35			
Bog Mills	Spring	Mrs. Mabel W. Boothby	9	9.00	22	18	.82	1
	Fall	Mrs. Mabel W. Boothby	13	9.00				
	*Winter	Mrs. Mabel W. Boothby			24	19	.70	0
Buxton Center	Spring	Mrs. D. M. Hutchinson	11	9.00	27	25.8	.955	6
	Fall	Mrs. D. M. Hutchinson	13	9.00	24	19.	.79	1
	*Winter	Mrs. D. M. Hutchinson	10	9.00	23			
Dearborn's Hill	Spring	M. Alice Davis	11	9.50	24	18	.75	0
	Fall	M. Gilberta Marr	13	10.00	23	19	.826	5
	*Winter	M. Gilberta Marr	10	10.00	23			
Duck Pond	Spring	Mildred A. Fogg	11	8.00	23	18	.78	4
	Fall	Mildred A. Fogg	13	9.00	25	19	.76	0
	*Winter	Mildred A. Fogg	10	9.00	24			
William	Spring	Mrs. Ethel M. Lane	11	8.00	23	20	.87	8
Clifford	Fall	Agnes L. Hill	13	8.00	21	18	.857	7
Webster	*Winter	Agnes L. Hill	10	9.00	21			

Lower Corner	Spring	Susie Gardner	11	8.50	18	11.79	.66	2
	Fall	Helen B. O'Neill	11	9.00	20	15	.75	2
	*Winter	Helen B. O'Neill	10	9.00	17			
N. C. Watson	Spring	Clara F. Libby	11	9.00	23	18	.82	4
	Fall	Betsey H. Perkins	13	9.00	22	17	.77	2
	*Winter	Betsey H. Perkins	10	9.00	18			
Salmon Falls	Spring	Alueda V. Stanton	11	7.50	20	18.3	.915	4
	Fall	Gladys M. Myer	13	8.00	20	17	.85	6
	*Winter	Gladys M. Myer	10	9.00	17	15.5	.90	3
Scribner	Spring	Marcia A. Libby	11	9.00	36	32	.89	4
	Fall	Marcia A. Libby	13	10.00	40	34	.85	4
	*Winter	Marcia A. Libby	10	10.00				
Shadigee	Spring	Geneva Eaton	11	7.50	8	6.27	.784	0
	Fall	Geneva Eaton	13	7.50	10	7.8	.78	2
	*Winter	Geneva Eaton	10	7.50	9	6.76	.75	3
West Buxton	Spring	Mrs. Clara F. Redlon	11	9.00	24	17	.708	0
	Fall	M. Alice Davis	13	9.50	21	18.5	.88	3
	*Winter	M. Alice Davis	9	9.50	18			
High School	Spring	Ernest L. Bartlett	12	20.00	38	34	.895	5
		Eliza S. Libby		11.00				
	Fall	Stacy C. Laupher	13	20.00	38	34	.895	6
		Eliza S. Libby		11.00				
		Stacy C. Laupher	12	20.00	33			
	*Winter	Eliza S. Libby		11.00				
Lower Corner	Winter	Helen B. O'Neill	10	9.00	17	8.5	.50	
Dearborn's Hill	Winter	M. Gilberta Marr	10	10.00	22	18	.82	3
Scribner	Winter	Marcia Libby	10	10.00	32	25	.78	1
West Buxton	Winter	M. Alice Davis	9	9.50	18	15.35	.85	5
N. C. Watson	Winter	Betsey H. Perkins	10	9.00	18	15	.83	3

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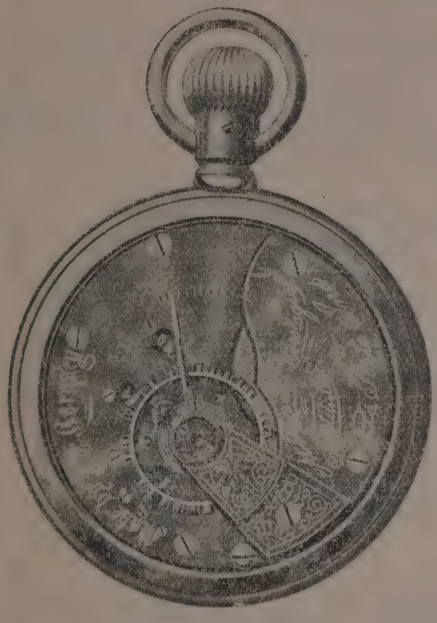
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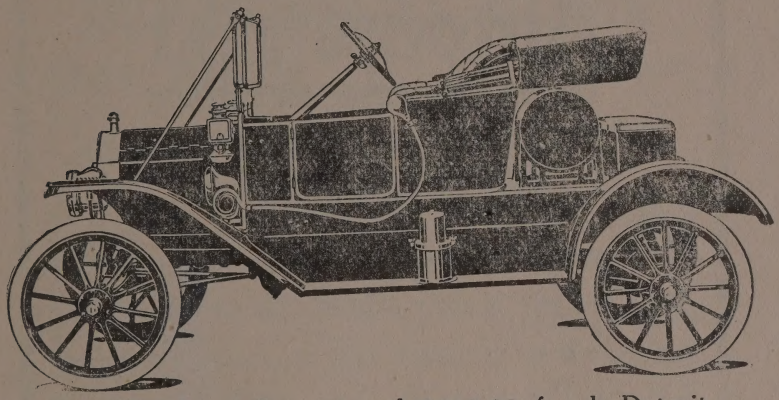
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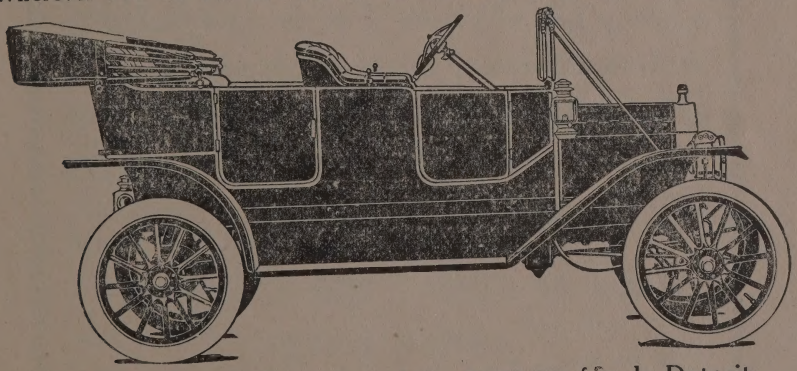
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